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Applicant: Yi Liu
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Filed: October 30, 2000
For: ANTI-PARALLEL TAG FLOW
MEASUREMENT SYSTEM

Group: 2855
Examiner: Lilybett Martir
Docket No: PAN-147J

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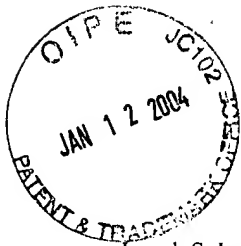
RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116 – EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – GROUP 2855

This Response is in reply to the Final Office Action mailed December 4, 2003 in the subject application. In response to the Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

A Listing of the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.



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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a RESPONSE in reply to the Final Office Action mailed December 4, 2003 in the subject application.

If for any reason this RESPONSE is found to be INCOMPLETE, or if at any time it appears that a TELEPHONE CONFERENCE with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned or his associates, collect in Waltham, Massachusetts at (781) 890-5678.

If any payment during prosecution is found to be incorrect, please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to my Deposit Account No. 09-0002. A copy of this letter is enclosed for use by the Finance Branch in the event that it is necessary to make any charge or credit to my deposit account.

In addition, pursuant to Rule 1.136(a)(3), the Office is hereby authorized to treat any future reply requiring an extension of time as incorporating a request therefor. Also, any request or Petition for an Extension of Time notwithstanding an inadvertent reference in the Petition to a shorter period of time is to be treated as requesting the appropriate length of time.

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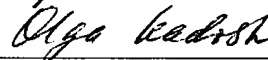


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